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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the non-final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent Office on July 25, 2007 in the above-identified application. Reconsideration and further examination are requested.

An extension of time to respond to the Office Action is respectfully requested. A Petition for Extension of Time and the appropriate fee are being filed concurrently with this Amendment.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge all fees due to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 16-2500.

Please amend the application as follows:

Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.